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Proposed Class:

Subclass:

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Mail Stop Patent Application  
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**NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): *Eric. R. Weaver*

For (title): ***EMPLOYEE ACCOUNTING DEVICE AND METHOD OF OPERATION***

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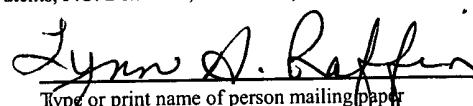
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**1. Type of Application**

This application is for an original (nonprovisional).

**2. Papers Enclosed**

A. Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. § 1.153 (Design) Application

7 Page(s) of Specification  
3 Page(s) of Claims  
2 Sheet(s) of Drawing(s)--Formal

B. Other Papers Enclosed

3 Page(s) of declaration and power of attorney  
1 Page(s) of abstract

**3. Declaration or Oath**

Enclosed

Executed by:

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**4. Inventorship Statement**

The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.

**5. Language**

English

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**7. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)**

Regular Application

CLAIMS AS FILED							
	Number Filed		Number Extra		Rate		Basic Fee
							37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a)
Total							770.00
Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(c))	15	-	20	=	0	x \$ 18.00	= \$ 0.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b))	1	-	3	=	0	x \$ 84.00	= \$ 0.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(d))					+ \$ 280.00	= \$	0.00
Filing Fee Calculation							\$770.00

**8. Assertion of Small Entity Status**

Applicant hereby asserts status as a small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

Filing Fee Calculation (50% of above Filing Fee Calculation) \$385.00

**9. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time**

Enclosed

Filing Fee  
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**Total Fees Enclosed** \$385.00

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**10. Method of Payment of Fees**

Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of **\$385.00** to Deposit Account No. **120551**, in the name of *Larson & Larson, P.A.*

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**11. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees**

The Office is hereby authorized to charge additional fees or deficiencies in fees that may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 120551.

**12. Instructions as to Overpayment**

Credit Account No. 120551.

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**ADDED PAGES FOR APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S.**  
**APPLICATION CLAIMED**  
**(37 C.F.R. § 1.78)**

**13. Relate Back 35 U.S.C. § 119(e)**

"This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No.:

<b>APPLICATION NO.</b>	<b>FILING DATE</b>
60/422,065	10/29/2002"

**Language of prior filed provisional application**  
HN

The above identified prior filed provisional application, namely application 60/422,065, filed 10/29/2002, whose benefit is being claimed was filed in the English language.

**14. Further Inventorship Statement Where Benefit of Prior Application(s) Claimed**

(a) This application discloses and claims additional disclosure by amendment and a new declaration or oath is being filed. With respect to the prior application, the inventor in this application is the same.

**15. Abandonment of Prior Application**

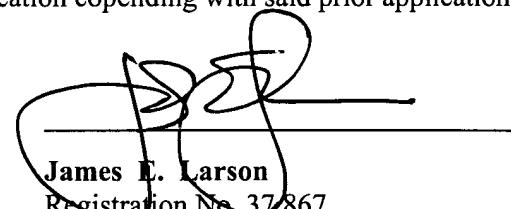
Please abandon the prior application at a time while the prior application is pending, or when the petition for extension of time or to revive in that application is granted, and when this application is granted a filing date, so as to make this application copending with said prior application.

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